

Kind regards to Mrs Phelps. Tell her she must come on
this summer & see us & show her little Bostonian to
Grandpa & Ma. & is all.

Am much pleased with your argument
on the Sabbath. It is just the thing. Pure sermonean-
ism, & gospelism too. I have received several comm-
unications which I suppose were from you, for which
I give you thanks. But I write in great haste to send
by Esqr Cate.

B. B. Beckwith
Castine.

Castine June 12. 1841.

Dr. Brother Phelps.

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Abundant experience & the formal Decision of a Council of Physicians have settled the question that Mrs Beckwith's health demands that we should leave the damp stimulating sea air of Castine for the drier & less stimulating air of the interior. And having decided, - in my own mind, - not to spend another winter here to the jeopardy of my wife's health, this is to enquire of you, if you know of any opening for a minister? If you know of any at this time, or should you hereafter know of one at any time in the fall or winter any where back from the sea-board a few miles, in any of the New England or middle, or even the Southern or Western States, you are at liberty to give them my address; & by so doing you may help a church to a Pastor & greatly oblige your friend & brother in the Gospel ministry.

T. W. Beckwith.

P.S. If Augustus Little is at your house you will be careful about saying any thing to her to bring her with her to Castine as it would not be best at present, it should be generally known that I am about to leave. Friends here all well. Mrs Beckwith.